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WELFARE SCHEMES FOR SCS AND OBCS
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the funds allocated and released under different welfare schemes for SCs and OBCs to different States/UTs and NGOs/VOs during 2005-06, scheme wise;

(b) the number of persons to be benefited under these schemes during the said period, scheme-wise;

(c) the details of achievements made under the said schemes during the last three years, scheme-wise; and

(d) the method/procedure adopted by the Government for regulating and monitoring of funds in flow under the scheme?

Answer

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(a) to (c) statement regarding funds allocated, released and beneficiaries covered during the last three years and the current financial year for SCs and OBCs are given at Annexure-I .
(d) The method / procedure adopted by the government for regulating and monitoring of funds under the schemes are as follows:

I. Utilization certificates are insisted upon in respect of past releases before fresh releases are made.
II. Periodic progress reports are obtained from states /UTs , showing the progress of implementation of scheme, the beneficiaries covered and other relevant information.

III. Meeting with State/UTs secretaries concerned are convened to ascertain the progress of implementation of schemes.

IV. Officer of the ministry visit state/UTs from time to time to monitor implementation of the scheme.